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**REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY OF RECORD  
(37 C.F.R. § 10.40)**

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On behalf of the above-listed attorneys, I respectfully request that the above-listed attorneys be granted permission to withdraw from all further responsibility in this case in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.36.

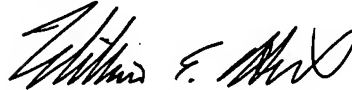
The basis for the request for withdrawal is 37 C.F.R. § 10.40(c) section 6. My client has refused to pay for services rendered.

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